

KXAS-TV

**QUARTERLY LIST OF PROGRAMMING
PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT
OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

APRIL - JUNE, 2008

QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT JANUARY - MARCH, 2008

Through formal and informal ascertainment of the general public, community leaders, public officials - inclusive of different ethnic organizations and service organizations, the following list emerged as issues needing media attention and support.

The programs produced to meet the needs of the public included locally produced shows and newscasts as well as national programs, public service announcement campaigns, and sales marketing campaigns.

COMMUNITY ISSUES

Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Consumer

Crime and Law Enforcement

Cultural

Economic Development

Education

Environment

Family

Government

Health and Medical

Housing

Poverty

Race Relations

Religion

Safety

Transportation

REGULARLY SCHEDULED PROGRAMS

Our locally produced, regularly scheduled programs are aired specifically to address community issues, concerns and needs. The programs are as follows:

5 TALK STREET (2 shows per quarter; 30 minutes)

An interview program that addresses local and national issues of concern to residents in our viewing area.

SPOTLIGHT (1 show per quarter, 30 minutes)

A program that addresses local and national issues of concern in the Hispanic community.

NEWSCASTS

KXAS' daily newscasts devote considerable time to local issues and community problems. Regularly scheduled newscasts include:

TEXAS NEWS 5 MORNING REPORT	5:00 - 6:00 AM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	6:00 - 7:00 AM	M-F
FIRST AT FOUR	4:00 – 5:00 PM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 AT FIVE	5:00 - 5:30 PM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 AT SIX	6:00 - 6:30 PM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 WEEKEND TODAY	6:00 - 7:00 AM	SAT & SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 WEEKEND TODAY	9:00 - 10:00 AM	SAT
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	6:00 - 7:00 AM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	8:00 - 9:00 AM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 WEEKEND REPORT	5:30 - 6:00 PM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 TEN O'CLOCK REPORT	10:00 - 10:30 PM	SU-M

ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE

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Date: 4/8/08
Description: A report about Samuel Adams voluntarily recalling some of its beer tonight because of glass shards in some bottles.
Length: :17

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Date: 4/9/08
Description: A report warning the public about the City of Dallas billing some water customers double because of a glitch in the city's new computer program.
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Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/7/08

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Length: :19

CONSUMER

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Length: 1:10

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Description: A report about Dallas County banning smoke inside all parking garages it owns.
Length: :16

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/14/08
Description: A report about Ford recalling over 650,000 F-150 pickups and its Lincoln Mark LT trucks because of a problem with the brake hose, causing the vehicles to lose brake power.
Length: :21

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Date: 6/3/08, 6/4/08
Description: A health alert about a rare strain of Salmonella in raw tomatoes.
Length: 1:00, :15

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 6/26/08
Description: A report about the Texas Department of State Health Services says the number of salmonella cases linked to tomatoes is up to 330 and the FDA says we should still only eat cherry and grape tomatoes or tomatoes with the vine still attached.
Length: :15

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 6/9/08, 6/9/08
Description: A report that Burleson water is now safe to drink after a water main break forced a boil order for about 700 homes.
Length: :12, :15

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Length: :26

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Description: A report about the Food and Drug Administration announcing that the Salmonella outbreak in tomatoes is over.
Length: :22, :30

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Date: 6/15/08
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Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/18/08
Description: A report about the Public Utility Commission making a plea to Texans state wide tonight urging everyone to conserve electricity because the unusually high temperatures paired with increased demand for power could lead to electricity shortages.
Length: :23

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/18/08
Description: A report about a roaming home alarm repair person in Duncanville who is going door to door trying to repair alarm systems or sell new ones. Investigators say anyone who is selling or installing alarm systems must be licensed by the state and you should always ask for their identification before allowing them in your home.
Length: :24

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/18/08
Description: A report about more cases of salmonella poisoning from tomatoes and the Center for Disease Control still cannot pinpoint the source of the contamination.
Length: :14

Program: 6 p.m., 4 p.m.
Date: 6/21/08, 6/20/08
Description: A report about a "hip charm" key chains sold at Wal-mart being recalled because it contains high levels of led.
Length: :15, :21

CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

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Length: 1:10

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Description: A report about the McKinney police cracking down on bad parking jobs in neighborhoods.
Length: :15

CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

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Date: 5/18/08
Description: A report reminding the public that police will be looking for drivers and passengers who are not wearing their seatbelts for the 7th Annual Click It or Ticket crackdown.
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Date: 5/28/08
Description: A report about uninsured Dallas drivers being put on notice tonight beginning January 1 Dallas will tow and impound uninsured vehicles.
Length: 1:10

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/5/08
Description: A report about American Airlines warning advantage members about an email asking customers for information account balances, passwords and other personal information in attempt to steal identities.
Length: :12

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 6/12/08
Description: The city of Dallas announced today that drivers with handicapped markers will be ticketed if they stay parked at an expired meter.
Length: :35

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 6/16/08
Description: A report about the city of Fort Worth rounding up people with warrants Saturday and will focus on Class C misdemeanors.
Length: :14

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Length: :22

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/1/08
Description: A report that the cost of driving insurance is going to go up 4 to 6 percent, which amounts to a 22 dollar a year increase.

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Description: A report about ATA airlines filing for bankruptcy, after it lost a key contract for its military charter business, leaving passengers stranded at DFW airport.

Length: :20

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 4/5/08
Description: A report that Skybus Airline is filing for bankruptcy and passengers with tickets should contact their credit card companies for a refund.

Length: :12

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Date: 4/18/08
Description: A report about the DFW Metro area seeing a 39 percent jump in foreclosure in May.

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Description: A report about teachers with Mesquite ISD are getting a 4 percent raise.
Length: :10

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Length: :19

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Date: 6/11/08, 6/12/08

Description: American Airlines is raising its fuel surcharge 20 dollars on most of its routes which means you'll be paying a 150 dollar fuel charge on a roundtrip ticket.

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Description: A report about Wylie City planning on implementing a cell phone ban in school zones beginning in August.

Length: :10

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 4/25/08

Description: A report about Grand Prairie ISD giving students who pass the TAKS test eight days off if they pass and taking that time to tutor students who didn't pass.

Length: :12

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/21/08

Description: A report about junior high schools starting at 7:15 a.m. next year and getting out at 2:30 p.m.

Length: :22

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Description: A report about a new study which says living in a neighborhood full of trees may help your child from developing asthma.
Length: :29

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/9/08
Description: A report about the deadly Texas Coral Snake in Dallas neighborhoods.
Length: :55

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/29/08
Description: A report warning people with breathing troubles along with children and seniors to limit outdoor activities on alert days.
Length: :22

ENVIROMENT

Program: 10 p.m., 10 p.m.

Date: 6/2/08, 6/4/08

Description: A report about a case of West Nile Virus in Denton County. The health department reminds residents to drain standing water around homes and to dress in pants and long sleeves when outdoors.

Length: :20, :18

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m., 6 a.m.

Date: 6/4/08, 6/4/08, 6/5/08

Description: A report about crews in Flower Mound spraying for mosquitoes this week after one person there tested positive for West Nile.

Length: :16, :18, :20

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/6/08

Description: A report about strong winds keeping Flower Mound from spraying for Mosquitoes. The city will try again next Thursday and will focus on the areas of Justin Road to college parkway and east from Long Prairie Road to Timber Creek Road.

Length: :15

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Length: :20

FAMILY

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Date: 5/12/08

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Length: :19

GOVERNMENT

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Date: 6/1/08

Description: A report about Irving pet owners now being required to register their dogs and cats with the city in order to quickly reunite lost pets with their owners.

Length: :17

HEALTH AND MEDICAL

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 4/4/08
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Length: :20

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Date: 4/29/08
Description: A report about a study that shows a native Mexican diet full of soups, legumes, tomato based sauces, meat and Mexican cheeses may protect some women from breast cancer.
Length: :46

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 5/1/08
Description: A report about a new study which says living in a neighborhood full of trees may help your child from developing asthma.
Length: :29

HEALTH AND MEDICAL

Program: 5 p.m.

Date: 5/1/08

Description: A report about more and more teens fainting after getting shots. Government health officials say the number of shots have increased since officials recommended the use of three new vaccines.

Length: :30

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/5/08

Description: A report about some students at a Dallas middle school undergoing Tuberculosis testing this week.

Length: :16

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/8/08

Description: A report about users of the birth control patch having a higher risk for life-threatening blood clots than those who take the pill.

Length: :28

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/11/08

Description: A report about some Denton County residents being concerned that their water is so chlorinated it's not fit to drink.

Length: :19

Program: 5 p.m.

Date: 5/12/08

Description: A report about a new study from the Environmental Protection Agency and the Center for Disease Control and prevention finds kids under 10 are most at risk for swimming-related stomach illness.

Length: :24

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/17/08

Description: A report about a link between salmonella poisoning and dry dog food especially in infants and children, experts recommend washing hands immediately after handling any pet food.

Length: :20

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/29/08

Description: A report warning people with breathing troubles along with children and seniors to limit outdoor activities on alert days.

Length: :22

HEALTH AND MEDICAL

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/31/08

Description: A report about a study that found there's a greater risk of sudden death syndrome among women who smoke during pregnancy.

Length: :27

Program: 10 p.m., 10 p.m.

Date: 6/2/08, 6/4/08

Description: A report about a case of West Nile Virus in Denton County. The health department reminds residents to drain standing water around homes and to dress in pants and long sleeves when outdoors.

Length: :20, :18

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.

Date: 6/3/08, 6/4/08

Description: A health alert about a rare strain of Salmonella in raw tomatoes.

Length: 1:00, :15

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 6/4/08

Description: A report about a study published by the Public Library of Science that red wine contains the natural compound Resveratrol found in the grapes that may protect the heart against aging.

Length: :17

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 6/5/08

Description: A report about a warning from the food and drug administration about metal dental fillings containing mercury that could cause health problems in children, pregnant women and their unborn children.

Length: :17

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/6/08

Description: A report about strong winds keeping Flower Mound from spraying for Mosquitoes. The city will try again next Thursday and will focus on the areas of Justin Road to college parkway and east from Long Prairie Road to Timber Creek Road.

Length: :15

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/26/08

Description: A report about the Texas Department of State Health Services says the number of salmonella cases linked to tomatoes is up to 330 and the FDA says we should still only eat cherry and grape tomatoes or tomatoes with the vine still attached.

Length: :15

HEALTH AND MEDICAL

Program: 5 p.m.

Date: 6/18/08

Description: A report about research that showed alcohol can decrease the risk of developing rheumatoid arthritis by as much as 50 percent.

Length: :20

Program: 6 p.m., 4 p.m.

Date: 6/21/08, 6/20/08

Description: A report about a "hip charm" key chains sold at Wal-mart being recalled because it contains high levels of lead.

Length: :15, :21

HOUSING

Program: 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 4/15/08, 4/15/08, 4/15/08
Description: A report that the residents of Springtown should boil all water before drinking or cooking with it because of a water main break that could have allowed harmful bacteria to reach the water supply.
Length: :23, :24, :17

Program: 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 4/15/08, 4/15/08, 4/15/08
Description: A report that the residents of Springtown should boil all water before drinking or cooking with it because of a water main break that could have allowed harmful bacteria to reach the water supply.
Length: :23, :24, :17

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/18/08
Description: A report about the DFW Metro area seeing a 39 percent jump in foreclosure in May.
Length: :14

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 4/28/08
Description: A report about Mansfield taking steps to protect the city's water supply, which would restrict watering between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Length: :16

Program: 10 p.m., 6 p.m.
Date: 4/29/08, 4/30/08
Description: A report about McKinney water rationing beginning tomorrow. Watering will be limited to two times a week for homes and businesses.
Length: :15, 1:00

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 5/1/08
Description: A report about TXU declaring a cut off moratorium for the summer to help low-income customers and senior citizens who fail to pay their electric bill.
Length: :14

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/11/08
Description: A report about some Denton County residents being concerned that their water is so chlorinated it's not fit to drink.
Length: :19

HOUSING

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/27/08
Description: A report about homeowners in Rockwall getting new smart meters which allow homeowners to track their power usage every 15 minutes and help keep their electric bills low.
Length: :23

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 5/28/08
Description: A report about a federal ruling that declared the law to ban renting homes and apartments to illegal immigrants in Farmers Branch unconstitutional.
Length: :19

Program: 10 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 6/2/08, 6/4/08
Description: A report about a case of West Nile Virus in Denton County. The health department reminds residents to drain standing water around homes and to dress in pants and long sleeves when outdoors.
Length: :20, :18

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m., 6 a.m.
Date: 6/4/08, 6/4/08, 6/5/08
Description: A report about crews in Flower Mound spraying for mosquitoes this week after one person there tested positive for West Nile.
Length: :16, :18, :20

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 6/6/08
Description: A report about strong winds keeping Flower Mound from spraying for Mosquitoes. The city will try again next Thursday and will focus on the areas of Justin Road to college parkway and east from Long Prairie Road to Timber Creek Road.
Length: :15

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 6/9/08, 6/9/08
Description: A report that Burleson water is now safe to drink after a water main break forced a boil order for about 700 homes.
Length: :12, :15

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 6/26/08
Description: A report about Dallas County Officials spraying for Mosquitoes in Highland Park tonight and encourage residents and pets to stay in doors overnight and avoid contact with the spray.
Length: :20

POVERTY

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/1/08

Description: A report about TXU declaring a cut off moratorium for the summer to help low-income customers and senior citizens who fail to pay their electric bill.

Length: :14

RACE RELATIONS

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 4/29/08

Description: A report about immigration activists rallying in the streets of Dallas and other cities Thursday in the hope of drawing attention to the immigration debate just in time for the presidential election.

Length: :22

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/28/08

Description: A report about a federal ruling that declared the law to ban renting homes and apartments to illegal immigrants in Farmers Branch unconstitutional.

Length: :19

RELIGION

SAFETY

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/5/08
Description: A report about 24 Texas counties lifting burn bans, because of the recent rain.
Length: :15

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/8/08
Description: A report about Samuel Adams voluntarily recalling some of its beer tonight because of glass shards in some bottles.
Length: :17

Program: 5 p.m., 6 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 4/15/08, 4/15/08, 4/15/08
Description: A report that the residents of Springtown should boil all water before drinking or cooking with it because of a water main break that could have allowed harmful bacteria to reach the water supply.
Length: :23, :24, :17

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 4/16/08
Description: A report about the City of Cleburne's radio station breaking into programming any time there is an immediate danger in the area.
Length: :17

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/17/08
Description: A report about red light cameras going up at two busy intersections in Southlake in the next three months.
Length: :14

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/18/08
Description: A report about Wylie City planning on implementing a cell phone ban in school zones beginning in August.
Length: :10

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 4/21/08
Description: A report about a study from Rutgers University shows drinking 3 to 5 cups of coffee may protect sun worshippers from skin cancer.
Length: :17

SAFETY

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/26/08
Description: A report about the FDA reminding parents that very young children should not take medications intended to alleviate cough and colds, because Australian researchers found antihistamines rarely help a child's cough and have too many possible side effects.
Length: :15

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 5/2/2008
Description: A report about Lowe's recalling 85 thousand storage bins because of high lead levels in the paint.
Length: ::20

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/9/08
Description: A report about the deadly Texas Coral Snake in Dallas neighborhoods.
Length: :55

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/11/08
Description: A report about some Denton County residents being concerned that their water is so chlorinated it's not fit to drink.
Length: :19

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/14/08
Description: A report about Ford recalling over 650,000 F-150 pickups and its Lincoln Mark LT trucks because of a problem with the brake hose, causing the vehicles to lose brake power.
Length: :21

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/17/08
Description: A report about a link between salmonella poisoning and dry dog food especially in infants and children, experts recommend washing hands immediately after handling any pet food.
Length: :20

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/29/08
Description: A report warning people with breathing troubles along with children and seniors to limit outdoor activities on alert days.
Length: :22

SAFETY

Program: 10 p.m.,
Date: 6/2/08
Description: A report about a new state-sponsored program that allows crime victims to have their mail sent to an alternate address.
Length: :19

Program: 10 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 6/2/08, 6/4/08
Description: A report about a case of West Nile Virus in Denton County. The health department reminds residents to drain standing water around homes and to dress in pants and long sleeves when outdoors.
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Program: 10 p.m., 10 p.m.
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Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.
Date: 6/3/08, 6/4/08
Description: A health alert about a rare strain of Salmonella in raw tomatoes.
Length: 1:00, :15

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m., 6 a.m.
Date: 6/4/08, 6/4/08, 6/5/08
Description: A report about crews in Flower Mound spraying for mosquitoes this week after one person there tested positive for West Nile.
Length: :16, :18, :20

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/5/08
Description: A report about American Airlines warning advantage members about an email asking customers for information account balances, passwords and other personal information in attempt to steal identities.
Length: :12

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 6/6/08
Description: A report about strong winds keeping Flower Mound from spraying for Mosquitoes. The city will try again next Thursday and will focus on the areas of Justin Road to college parkway and east from Long Prairie Road to Timber Creek Road.
Length: :15

SAFETY

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/26/08

Description: A report about the Texas Department of State Health Services says the number of salmonella cases linked to tomatoes is up to 330 and the FDA says we should still only eat cherry and grape tomatoes or tomatoes with the vine still attached.

Length: :15

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.

Date: 6/9/08, 6/9/08

Description: A report that Burleson water is now safe to drink after a water main break forced a boil order for about 700 homes.

Length: :12, :15

Program: 6 p.m., 10 p.m.

Date: 6/13/08, 6/13/08

Description: A report about the Food and Drug Administration announcing that the Salmonella outbreak in tomatoes is over.

Length: :22, :30

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 6/18/08

Description: A report about a roaming home alarm repair person in Duncanville who is going door to door trying to repair alarm systems or sell new ones. Investigators say anyone who is selling or installing alarm systems must be licensed by the state and you should always ask for their identification before allowing them in your home.

Length: :24

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 6/18/08

Description: A report about more cases of salmonella poisoning from tomatoes and the Center for Disease Control still cannot pinpoint the source of the contamination.

Length: :14

Program: 6 p.m., 4 p.m.

Date: 6/21/08, 6/20/08

Description: A report about a "hip charm" key chains sold at Wal-mart being recalled because it contains high levels of lead.

Length: :15, :21

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/26/08

Description: A report about Dallas County Officials spraying for Mosquitoes in Highland Park tonight and encourage residents and pets to stay in doors overnight and avoid contact with the spray.

Length: :20

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/1/08
Description: A report that the cost of driving insurance is going to go up 4 to 6 percent, which amounts to a 22 dollar a year increase.
Length: :22

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/2/08
Description: A report that toll way officials will pay towing and repairs for drivers who had blowouts between Cedar Springs and Lemmon Ave. between 5 and 8 p.m.
Length: :24

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 4/10/08
Description: A report about the cancellation of American Airlines flights being cancelled until Saturday.
Length: :16

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 4/10/08
Description: A report that American Airlines has canceled over 500 flights for tomorrow and it could be Saturday before everything is back to normal.
Length: :15

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 4/12/08
Description: A report about possible slow traffic through Fort Worth this weekend due to bridge maintenance on the east bound lanes of I-20 at McCart Avenue.
Length: :16

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 4/14/08
Description: A report about I-20 West at US Business 287 will close tonight at 11 p.m. while crews install a bridge sight and drivers are encouraged to seek different routes.
Length: :21

Program: 5 p.m.
Date: 4/16/08
Description: A report about crews shutting down the Eastbound Frontage Road along I-30 at Town East Boulevard tonight, while they demolish the Big Town Boulevard Bridge.
Length: :21

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 4/17/08

Description: A report about red light cameras going up at two busy intersections in Southlake in the next three months.

Length: :14

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 4/21/08

Description: A report about construction underway tonight on state highway 161 funning south from Irving to Grand Prairie, which will eventually connect 183 to I-20.

Length: :27

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 4/29/08

Description: A report about dangerous taxi cabs on North Texas roads after nearly 9 out of 10 taxis had fraudulent inspection stickers.

Length: 1:10

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/2/08

Description: A report about a road closure of the two left lanes on Westbound I-30 from Ervay Street to the 35 split and the left lane of the Frontage Road between Harwood and Saint Paul.

Length: :15

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/2/08

Description: A report about police officers writing tickets to truckers for idling for more than five minutes.

Length: :17

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/8/08

Description: A report about gas prices rising 3 cents over night and the price of oil rising to 124 dollars a barrel today.

Length: :20

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 5/11/08

Description: A report about a road closure in Frisco between East Main Street and Custer Road due to bad smoke, which may not be opened until tomorrow.

Length: :25

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/11/08
Description: A report about the westbound lanes of Arkansas from Midhurst to Valleydale closing tomorrow until Friday.
Length: :16

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/14/08
Description: A report about the Goliad Street underpass at I-30 closing tonight, Thursday and Friday for construction.
Length: :12

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/20/08
Description: A report about delays at DFW due to severe weather on the west coast.
Length: :14

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 5/22/08
Description: A report about American Airlines starting to charge 15 dollars to check your first bag beginning next month.
Length: :30

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 5/22/08
Description: A report about a traffic alert in Dallas and Ellis Counties where Tex-Dot will begin changing the direction of the two-way Frontage Roads on I-35E between Parkerville Road in Desoto and US 77 South of Red Oak into one-way Frontage Roads.
Length: :21

Program: 6 a.m.
Date: 5/23/08
Description: A report about a little known city ordinance that requires tow truck operators to leave a car behind free of charge if the driver shows up before it's hauled off.
Length: :35

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 5/28/08
Description: A report about uninsured Dallas drivers being put on notice tonight beginning January 1 Dallas will tow and impound uninsured vehicles.
Length: 1:10

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 5/28/08

Description: A report about construction on I-30 in Mesquite on the Big Town Blvd. bridge tonight and will cause delays through last week.

Length: :17

Program: 6 p.m.

Date: 6/9/08

Description: A report about the Southbound lanes between Sandy Lake Road and Cooper Lane is being shut down to rebuild the road and the project is expected to take a year.

Length: :16

Program: 10 p.m.

Date: 6/11/08

Description: A report about the energy department saying it expects gasoline prices to level off by August after it hits about four \$4:15 a gallon.

Length: :19

Program: 10 p.m., 6 a.m.

Date: 6/11/08, 6/12/08

Description: American Airlines is raising its fuel surcharge 20 dollars on most of its routes which means you'll be paying a 150 dollar fuel charge on a roundtrip ticket.

Length: :14, :15

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/12/08

Description: A report about westbound I-20 exit to North I-35 W closing tonight at 8 and will reopen Sunday morning.

Length: :15

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/12/08

Description: A report about the closure of County Road 68 between Coit Road and Independence Parkway in Frisco for two weeks. Drivers can use Hwy 121 or Main Street as alternative routes.

Length: :15

Program: 6 a.m.

Date: 6/12/08

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Length: :15

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 6/12/08
Description: The city of Dallas announced today that drivers with handicapped markers will be ticketed if they stay parked at an expired meter.
Length: :35

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/14/08
Description: A report about the new bypass lanes on 121 at Preston Road in Plano opening ahead of schedule.
Length: :17

Program: 10 p.m.
Date: 6/17/08
Description: A report about I-30 Eastbound at the new center street bridge being reduced to one lane Saturday.
Length: :20

Program: 6 p.m.
Date: 6/21/08
Description: A traffic alert informing drivers that East bound I-30 at the new Center Street bridge is now reduced to one lane.
Length: :11